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IRIS ISOLENE

DEAN IRIS GARDENS, MONETA, CALIFORNIA.

READ BEFORE ORDERING

The prices quoted herein cancel all previous quotations made either by letter or in printed lists.

Prices include delivery on all plants quoted, anywhere in the United States, provided order is for not less than \$1.00 in value. For orders for less than \$1.00 in value, add 5 cents per plant to cover postage. Six plants will be furnished at dozen rates. Price per hundred, or in larger quantities, quoted on application.

Terms: Cash with order. Remittance can be made by Post-office or Express Money Order, or by Bank Draft, payable to The Dean Iris Gardens.

A few suggestions in regard to the planting and care of Iris. They prefer a heavy soil and should not be planted deep, particularly the rhizomatus varieties. They require good drainage, and the Pogoniris or Bearded do not require as much moisture as most of the Apogon or Beardless. A location where they receive the morning or afternoon sun is preferable in Southern California. Under wide spreading trees is an ideal location for many varieties. The Bulbous and also the Oncocyclus and Regelia, require a season of rest and should be planted where water will be withheld during the Summer months, unless one cares to lift them.

In order to have your plants present a good appearance when out of bloom, keep old flowering stems cut off, remove dry foliage, and do not allow the rhizomes to crowd each other.

Important Notice. We exercise due care to keep all varieties TRUE TO NAME, and hold ourselves in readiness at any time to replace, on proper proof, any stock that may prove otherwise; but it is mutually agreed between the purchaser and ourselves that we shall not at any time be liable for any amount greater than the original price of the stock. All sales made subject to stock being unsold when order is received, or loss by any and all unavoidable causes.

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POGONIRIS SECTION

BEARDED IRISES

As our Bearded Irises, and most of the Beardless, bloom early, they begin to form new roots in July, so that better results can be obtained by early planting. Do not wait until Spring to plant your Iris and then expect them to bloom in a few weeks. Summer or early Fall is the best planting time.

GERMANICA GROUP

Common Blue Flag Iris. S. blue; F. purple. 2 ft. Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.00.

Amas (syn. Macrantha.) Handsome giant flowered form from Asia Minor. S. rich blue; F. violet. 2 ft. Each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

Crimson King. Rich claret-purple. 2 ft. Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.00.

Fontarable. S. violet-blue; F. rich violet-purple. 18 in. Each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

Kharput. S. violet; F. violet-purple. Large and handsome. 30 in. Each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

Oriflamme. S. light blue. F. rich violet purple. Immense flowers. Each, 75c.

Kochii. Rich claret-purple. 30 in. Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.50.

Purple King. Full purple; very effective. 2 ft. Each, 25c.

Siwas. S. violet blue; F. violet-black. 30 in. Each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

Violet Queen. S. violet-blue; F. violet-black. 2 ft. Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.50.

PALLIDA GROUP

Albert Victor. S. soft blue; F. beautiful soft lavender. 40 in. Each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

Assaurez. S. bright violet; F. crimson purple. 26 in. Each, 25c.

Astarte. S. rosy lilac; F. claret-red. 2 ft. Each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

Brionense. Pale violet. Free flowering. 2 ft. Each, 25c.

Caprice. S. rosy-red; F. deeper rosy-red. 2 ft. Each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

Celeste. Pale azure blue. 30 in. Each, 15c; dozen, \$1.50.

Ed. Michel. Comes nearer to being a true purple than any other Iris. Darker than Caprice. Large, handsome flower and tall grower. Each, 75c.

Frederick. Pale lavender-blue. Very pretty. 20 in. Each, 15c.

Glory of Hillegom. Pale blue. Very large foliage. Each, 35c; dozen, \$3.50.

Her Majesty. S. soft rose; F. deeper rose, heavily veined. Each, 35c; dozen, \$3.50.

Isolene. S. pale lilac, slightly flushed yellow; F. purplish old-rose. Orange Beard. Large flower, tall growing, very handsome and striking. Each, 75c.

Juniata. S. & F. clear blue. 42 in. Each, 50c; dozen, \$5.00.

Kathleen. A soft rose-lilac. Each, 50c.

Leonidas. S. soft lavender-grey; F. rosy mauve. Beautiful. 40 in. Each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

Lohengrin. S. mauve; F. Chinese violet. Handsome. 33 in. Each, 35c; dozen, \$3.50.

Madam Pacquette. Bright rosy claret. Very handsome. 30 in. Each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

Mandalisca. Rich lavender-purple. Early and handsome. 3 ft. Each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

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Mauvine. S. mauve; F. a few shades darker of same color. Tall and free flowering. Very handsome and distinct. Each, 50c.

Mrs. Alan Gray. S. light mauve; F. Chinese violet, shaded darker. Each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50.

Pallida. S. lavender; F. lavender with rosy tinge, deliciously scented. 3 ft. Each, 20c; doz., \$2.00.

Pallida Dalmatica (syn. Princess Beatrice). S. fine lavender; F. clear deep lavender. Extra fine. 40 in. Each, 35c; dozen, \$3.50.

Pallida Speciosa. S. dark lavender, shaded lighter; F. shaded light purple. 40 in. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Plumeri. S. coppery rose; F. velvety claret. Each, 25c.

Queen of May. Soft rose-lilac. Very beautiful. 32 in. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

Racemosa. Sky blue, branching stems. 20 in. Each, 25c.

Rembrandt. Soft lilac-blue. Each, 15c.

Rhoda. Delicate shade of clear blush pink and rosy mauve. Each, 75c.

Rose Unique. Bright violet-rose. Early bloomer. Each, 50c; doz., \$5.00.

Ruberissima. S. soft rose-lilac; F. velvety claret. Each, 15c.

Standard Bearer. Rosy mauve. 38 in. Each, 50c.

Sybil. S. blush; F. bright rosy red. Very pretty. 26 in. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Tineae. S. soft lavender-blue; F. deeper shade. 40 in. Each, 20c; doz., \$2.00.

VARIEGATA GROUP

Standards are various shades of yellow.

Apollon. F. crimson-madder. 32 in. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

Berchta. S. olive-buff, slightly flushed violet; F. dahlia purple reticulated white, edge olive-buff. Each, 35c.

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- Darius.** F. lilac, margined primrose. 20 in. Each, 15c.
- Honorabilis.** F. rich mahogany-brown. 18 in. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.
- Iris King.** F. rich maroon, bordered yellow. Very handsome. Each, 50c; doz., \$5.00.
- Jules Perot.** S. bronzy yellow; F. black maroon, reticulated yellow. Each, 25c.
- Loreley.** F. ultramarine-blue, bordered cream. Very distinct. Each, 35c; doz., \$3.50.
- Malvina.** F. veined and tipped madder-brown. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.
- Marengo.** F. rich crimson-brown. 18 in. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.
- Mrs. Neubronner.** Deep golden yellow. Very fine. 18 in. Each, 35c; doz., \$3.50.
- Ossian.** F. light claret-red. Showy. 2 ft. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.
- Orphee.** F. white, delicately traced crimson-brown. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.
- Princess Victoria Louise.** F. deep violet-blue, white edge. 20 in. Each, 35c.
- Samson.** F. crimson. Each, 25c.
- Vondel.** F. velvety maroon. Each, 25c.

AMOENA GROUP

Standards are white in this group.

- Duc De Nemours.** F. violet, edged and reticulated white. 2 ft. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.
- Elegans.** Standards sometimes splashed with violet; F. violet, veined white. Each, 50c.
- Mrs. H. Darwin.** F. white, reticulated violet at base. Each, 15c.
- Poiteau.** S. white, tinged lavender; F. dark maroon-purple. Reticulated white. Each, 25c.

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Rhein Nixe. F. mauve, edged and reticulated white. Very distinct and beautiful. 30 in. Each, 35c.

Thorbeck. F. rich clear violet-purple, reticulated white at base. Each, 35c.

Victorine. F. violet-blue, mottled white. Each, 25c.

Wyomissing. S. creamy white; F. deep rose at base, shading to a flesh-colored border. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

NEGLECTA GROUP

The standards in this group range from lavender to purple.

Albatross. S. white, shaded palest of blues; F. white, veined and tipped with purple. Each, 50c; doz., \$5.00.

Atrocoerulea. S. pale blue; F. violet-blue. 30 in. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

Clarissima. S. lavender; F. reticulated purple, on white ground. 2 ft. Each, 15c.

Edith. S. porcelain blue; F. velvety blue, veined white. Each, 25c.

Harlequin Milanais. S. white, flaked violet; F. rich violet-purple. Each, 25c.

Monsignor. S. rich satiny violet; F. velvety purple-crimson, with lighter veining and margin. Handsome. Each, 75c.

Othello (syn. Sappho). S. rich blue; F. very dark velvety purple. Rich and handsome. 30 in. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

Perfection. S. light blue; F. dark velvety violet-black. Very handsome. 2 ft. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Sympathy. S. silvery lavender; F. violet. 30 in. Each, 25c.

PLICATA GROUP

The flowers have a beautiful colored frill-like margin on a white ground.

Agnes. S. white frilled and shaded lilac; F. white, traced lilac at base. 2 ft. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

Bridesmaid. S. white, shaded silvery lilac; F. white, reticulated at base, and slightly frilled soft lilac. 2 ft. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Delicatissima (syn Gazelle). White, heavily frilled lilac. 2 ft. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

Elizabeth. S. white, heavily shaded lilac; F. white, shaded violet at margin. Each, 25c.

Fairy. White, delicately bordered and suffused soft blue. Very beautiful. 30 in. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Jeanne d' Arc. White, reticulated violet. Handsome. Each, 50c.

Madam Chereau. White, elegantly frilled with a wide border of clear blue. One of the best in this group. 30 in. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

Maritana. S. & F. white, finely frilled rose-lilac. Very pretty. 2 ft. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Miralba. S. bronze-fawn; F. purple-fawn, netted white. Each, 25c.

Mrs. Reuthe. S. white, shaded and veined blue-grey; F. white, frilled soft blue. Large and handsome. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Ophelia. S. white, heavily frilled and shaded blue; F. white, frilled soft blue, large flower. Each, 25c.

Swertii. White, frilled blue, styles lilac. 30 in. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

SQUALENS GROUP

The standards are clouded shades of copper, bronze and fawn.

Alcazar. S. lavender-violet; F. velvety purple, with bronze veinings. Beard raw sienna color. Handsome. Large flower and tall grower. Each, 75c.

Arnols. S. rosy bronze; F. rich velvety-purple, handsome. Each, 25c.

Cherion. S. smoky lavender; F. lilac, finely veined. Very free. Tall. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

Dalmarius. S. satiny grey; F. lilac with silver sheen, deeper at claw, beard rich orange. 30 in. Each, 25c.

Dr. Bernice. S. Coppery-bronze; F. velvety crimson. 2 ft. Each, 25c.

Eldorado. S. violet tinged with yellow; F. yellow washed violet. Beard bright yellow. Free bloomer and very attractive. Each, 50c.

Gypsy Queen (syn. La Prestigiense). S. old-gold, shaded smoked pearl; F. black-maroon, reticulated light yellow. Each, 25c.

Jacquesiana. S. bright coppery crimson; F. rich maroon. Handsome. 30 in. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Nibelungen. S. fawn-yellow; F. violet-purple with fawn margin. Very handsome. 30 in. Each, 35c; doz., \$3.50.

Prosper Langier. S. light bronze-red; F. velvety ruby-purple. Orange beard. Handsome. Each, 50c.

Walneriana. S. lavender, flushed bronze; F. pale violet. Each, 15c.

BEARDED IRISES VARIOUS SPECIES

Albicans. **Princes of Wales.** Beautiful pure white. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

Benacensis. S. violet; F. deep rich purple. Each, 25c.

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- Carthusian.** S. clear lavender-blue; F. darker blue, reticulated brown at claw. 2 ft. Each, 35c; doz., \$3.50.
- Caterina.** S. clear light blue; F. soft lilac-blue, deliciously fragrant. 4 ft. Each, \$1.00; doz., \$10.00. Smaller size. Each, 50c; doz., \$5.00. Single rhizome. Medium size. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.
- Ciengialti.** S. lavender-blue; F. soft violet-blue. Each, 25c.
- Flavescens.** A delicate shade of soft yellow. Each, 25c.
- Florentina.** Creamy white, faintly flushed lavender. Very fragrant. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.
- Kashmiriana.** White slightly washed lavender. Petals of a stout leathery texture, falls at right angles. Tall. Each, 50c.
- Mesopotamica.** S. soft blue; F. violet-purple. Each, \$1.00; doz., \$10.00.
- Sambucina.** S. coppery-rose; F. rosy purple. 2 ft. Each, 15c.
- Sambucina, Beethoven.** S. rose-lilac; F. purple orange beard. 2 ft. Each, 25c.
- Sambucina, La Vesuve.** S. lavender, flushed bronze; F. violet. 2 ft. Each, 25c.
- Trojana.** S. pale blue; F. purple. 3 to 4 feet tall. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.
- Trojana Celestial.** A handsome blue-flowered form. Each, 35c.

INTERMEDIATE IRISES

- Charmant.** S. silvery blue; F. pearl-blue, with deeper blue markings, beard orange. 20 in. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.
- Freya.** Pearl grey and violet. Each, 25c.

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- Fritjof.** S. soft lavender; F. soft purple, shaded lavender. Beautiful large flower. Each, 35c; doz., \$3.50.
- Gerda.** Cream, veined gold. Large flower. Each, 35c.
- Helge.** S. lemon yellow; F. deeper, orange beard. 2 ft. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.
- Ingeborg.** White. Very large fragrant flower. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.
- Ivoryne.** Ivory-white, with gold markings at base of petals. Beard orange. Each, 25c.
- King Christian.** Large sulphur white, with yellow markings at base of petals. Handsome. Each, 25c.

DWARF BEARDED IRISES

- The Bride.** Pure white. Very pretty. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.
- Balceng hybrids.** White, flaked blue, purple and sea-green; and primrose, suffused green. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.
- Blue**—in various shades. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.
- Lutescens statellae.** Pale primrose. Fine—free bloomer. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.
- Orange Queen.** Rich yellow. Handsome free bloomer. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

EVANSIA SECTION

These are also called "Crested Irises," for in place of the beard on the falls, there is a crest.

- Japonica.** 18 in. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.
- Tectorum.** A lovely Chinese species. Flowers a beautiful blue. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

APOGON SECTION

BEARDLESS IRISES

SIBIRICA GROUP

Orientalis. Violet. Very beautiful. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

Sibirica Blue King. Beautiful blue. Very choice. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Siberica Snow Queen. Pure white, with yellow blotch on falls. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

UNGUICULARIS GROUP

Stylosa. Lilac blue. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

Stylosa alba. A white form. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Stylosa speciosa. Lilac-purple. Later bloomer than the others. Each, 25c.

SPURIA GROUP

Aurea. Himalayan species. Large golden yellow. 4 ft. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Longipetala superba (Mrs. A. W. Tait). S. Violet-blue; F. white with lilac veining. 2 ft. Each. 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Monneiri. Handsome yellow, paler than above. 3 ft. Each, 35c.

Monspur. Beautiful violet-blue. 4 ft. Each, 35c.

Orientalis gigantea. (syn. **Orchroleuca**). White, with orange-yellow blotch on falls. 4 ft. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Orientalis sulphurea. Sulphur yellow form. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

Orientalis snowflake. White, with gold blotch on falls. Very free. Each, 35c.

Spuria. Bright lilac-blue. 3 ft. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50.

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Spuria fol. var. Foliage of golden color early in season. Flowers lilac. 3 ft. Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

Spuria notha. Rich violet; F. blue, spotted yellow. 3 ft. Each, 35c.

PSEUDO-ACORUS AND VERSICOLOR

Pseudo-acorus. Bright yellow. 3 ft. Each, 15c.

Pseudo-acorus gigantea. A few tints paler than above in color, with handsome evergreen foliage, which grows 5 to 6 feet tall, and flowering stem 4 ft. and over. Large rhizomes. Each, \$1.00.

Versicolor. Violet-blue. American species. 2 ft. Each, 15c.

HEXAGONA GROUP

Hexagona Lamancei or Foliosa. Beautiful blue. Each, 15c.

BULBOUS SECTION

With the exception of *Iris Alata*, the following should not be planted before the middle or latter part of October. Orders will be filled the latter part of September or early in October. We cannot promise to fill orders for this stock after October 30th, as it is not advisable to disturb them after root growth has commenced.

Alata. (Juno). Each, 10c; doz., 75c.

Bucharica. (Juno). Each, 35c.

Dutch Hybrids. A new race of early large flowering form of Spanish Iris, and blooming two weeks earlier. Ten choice varieties. Doz., 75c.

English Irises. (*I. Xiphioides*). Assorted colors. Each, 5c; doz., 40c.

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Juncea. (Xiphium). Each, 10c; doz., \$1.00.

Orchioides. (Juno). Each, 25c; doz., \$3.50.

Spanish Irises. (I. Xiphium). Choice assorted.
Doz., 25c.

Tingitania (Xiphium). Each, 10c; doz., \$1.00.

RETICULATA GROUP

Pretty winter flowering dwarf varieties.

Histrio. Light blue. Each, 15c.

Histrioides. A larger flowering variety. Blue.
Each, 15c; doz., \$1.50.

Reticulata. Violet color, with gold blotch. Each,
15c; doz., \$1.50.

Pavonia (Moraea Glaucopsis). Sometimes called
The Peacock Iris. White, with blue spot. Each,
5c; dozen., 50c.

Tuberosa (Hermodactylus). Snake's Head or
Widow Iris. Green and purple-black. Each, 5c;
doz., 50c.

ONCOCYCLUS and REGELIA SECTION

Atrofusca. Rich and deep brown, falls nearly
black. Each, 20c; doz., \$2.00.

Korolkowi (Regelia). Named varieties—our se-
lection. Each, 20c; doz., \$2.00.

Susiana. (The Mourning Iris). Very large flower,
veined black. Each, 20c; doz., \$2.00.

REGELIO-CYCLUS IRISES

These are hybrids between the Oncocyclus and
Regelia.

Named Varieties. OUR SELECTION. Each, 75c;
doz., \$7.50.



WHERE IS MONETA ?

It is a 35 minute ride from the Pacific Electric Building at 6th and Main Streets, Los Angeles, on the "Redondo Line" via Gardena to Broad-acres. Iris Gardens 2 blocks north of this crossing on Connecticut Street.

Reached by automobile from Main Street Boulevard, turning west at Palm Avenue (165th St.) passing through Gardena to High School. Iris Gardens 2 blocks west and 1 block north of High School.



IRIS CATERINA—DEAN IRIS GARDENS, MONETA, CALIFORNIA.